

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Prior to paragraph [0001], please add the following new paragraph to the specification:

- - CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a United States national phase application of international patent application number PCT/NZ2004/000127, filed June 18, 2004, which claims priority to New Zealand patent application number 526572, filed June 18, 2003, which priority is claimed. - -

Please amend paragraph [0068] as follows:

[0068] Since ~~the~~ ~~or~~ each side wall 14 extends substantially orthogonal to the base plate 13, and as the base plate 13 does not include a flange portion 7a (of Figures 1A and 1B) ~~which~~ that extends outwardly beyond the ~~or each side wall~~ walls 14, the frame 11 may be lifted substantially without disturbance to the surrounding material, and therefore without disturbance to the existing surface 28 adjacent to the frame 11. Such disturbance would normally involve grinding down the road surface to expose the base plate 13 before raising the height of the frame 11.

IV. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

FIGS. 1A and 1B have been amended to include the designation “Prior Art”. A replacement sheet which incorporates these amendments is submitted herewith.